

# SUFFOLK COUNTY AIR FORCE BASE WESTHAMPTON, NEW YORK (Update - January 31, 1988)

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### Background

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- 10/87 Final Draft, Site Characterization Report,
  Installation Restoration Program, Suffolk County
  Airport, Fire Training Area, Westhampton Beach
  New York.

### <u>Status</u>

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There was a meeting on January 14, 1988 at the Suffolk County Air National Guard Base for reviewing and discussing the Draft Remedial Investigation Report for Suffolk County Airport Fire Training Area (FTA), October, 1987. The entire

the whole area of AF Base( former) was proposed. EFA evaluated the Report and developed its somments to this meeting.

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EPA is waiting from MITRE for the final evaluation of the final draft HRS package.

EFA will plan the further activities after receiving the following: 1) The summary of January's meeting at the Suffolk County AIr National Guard Base, 2) A decision from HQ on whether the former Air Force Base will be designated a Federal Facility.

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area was also discussed. The comprehensive investigation for the whole area of AF Base( former) was proposed.

EPA has evaluated the Final Draft Site Characterization Report - Installation Restoration Program - and sent its comments to Air National Guard.

EPA has prepared the work sheet of the annual review of the FY-GA 106 budget report and submitted the comments to HQ.

The Draft Final HRS package was sent to MITRE for QA comments. Now EPA is waiting for the evaluation of the draft final HRS package from MITRE.

EPA has sent the CDM/VERSAR an Amendment #3 with an extention for the period of performance, hours, and money necessary to develop the revised package.

EPA got HQ decision that the former AFBase is formerly owned facility and is therefore not listed on the Federal Facilities Docket. Hence the facility is not considered a federal facility at this time no further action can be taken by the Site Investigation Section. The facility had a final draft HRS score of 46.68. However the final HRS package will not be prepared, since the contract for CDM is terminated?

The Amendment #4 has never been in a process, since the status of the facility was not determined.

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Waiting for the final decision of HQ which section will take a lead for Suffolk ANG Base after proposing this site on NFL.